# Fall Program Guide

**Durant Nature Preserve** 

Sept-Dec 2018

### Preschool + Youth



Harvest season is coming! Join us to

explore the many kinds of wild fruits

ripening all around. We'll enjoy a

story, try out apple print painting,

and go on a hike to see which wild

fruits the animals are eating. Once

**Fruit Foray** 

### Not-So-Spooky Spiders

Explore the web-filled world of these misunderstood, eight-legged friends. We'll share a story to discover all the helpful things spiders do for us and learn about what spiders eat, how they survive, and which kinds live nearby. Make a fun, spidery craft to take home. Barcode #227713.

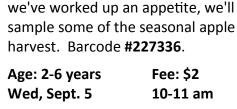
Age: 2-6 years Fee: \$1 Tues, Oct. 16 10-11 am



#### **Sensational Seeds**

Autumn is here, and nuts are abundant! We'll meet several trees that make nuts, find out which animals are eating them, and discover the endless variety of seeds plants use to spread their families. Come prepared to participate in a nutty, seedy craft and a short hike outdoors. Barcode #227741.

Age: 2-6 years Fee: \$1 Wed, Nov. 7 1:30-2:30 pm





### Leaf Man—Story and Craft

Join us as we read about the adventures of Lois Ehlert's *The Leaf Man*. We'll follow Leaf Man's storybook journey and make leaf creatures of our own inspired by the collage illustrations in the book. Barcode **#227729**.

Age: 3-6 years Fee: \$2 Sat, Nov. 3 3-4 pm

Preregistration is required for most programs.

Children must be accompanied by adults for all Preschool and Youth programs. Adults attend free. Visit <u>reclink.raleighnc.gov</u> to register for all programs, or call the park office for more information.



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### **Wee Walkers**

Would you and your toddler like some company for your walks? Join others on an easy paced hike in the Preserve. This is a great opportunity for adults and little ones to meet each other and explore what's happening in nature. Preregistration is not required but is helpful for planning purposes. This program takes place on trails that may not be accessible by strollers.

Age: Up to 5 years Fee: free Thursdays, 10-11 am

Sept. 6 Barcode #227112 Oct. 4 Barcode #227113 Nov. 1 Barcode #227114 Dec. 6 Barcode #227115



### **Turkey Time!**

This time of year, turkeys are on our mind! Join us to learn more about our beautiful wild turkeys. We'll read a story, make turkey tracks, and make a craft for your Thanksgiving table! Barcode #227758.

Age: 2-6 years Fee: \$1 Tues, Nov. 20 10-11 am



### **Nature & Sensory Play Day**

Check out Durant's Sensory and Nature Play Garden! Self-guided activities are provided to delight the senses and encourage nature play. Walk-in registration is on a first come, first served basis.

Age: All ages Fee: free

Fridays, 10 am - 12 pm

Sept. 14

Oct. 19 Nov. 9



#### Winter Wildlife

When it gets cold out, we go inside warm houses - but what do the animals do? Come learn about warm winter nests and hibernation, which animals do what, and how they survive the long months of cold. We'll share a story and a short hike to look for winter homes in the woods.

Barcode #227767.

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